FOREST DEPARTMENT.

Notice dated 26th February 1907.

The undermentioned articles will be sold by public auction in the premises of the Office of the Conservator of Forests in Mysore, "Cola Lodge," Bangalore City, at 12 noon on Saturday the 23rd March 1907.

Terms of Sale.

Full amount of the sale should be paid within three days of the sale, failing which the article will be re-sold at the risk of the original purchaser who, however, shall not participate in any profit accruing from the sale. The article should be removed from the premises within three days of the sale.

Schedule of Articles.

2 Hill tents.	1 Sleeping pal.	1 Hurricane lantern.
1 Bichoba.	9 Rowties.	

Notification dated 8th March 1907.

Applications are invited before 10th April 1907, from natives of Mysore for training in the Imperial Forest College at Dehra Dun, with a view to their subsequent employment as Forest Rangers in the State on salaries rising from Rs. 50 to Rs. 100 per mensem provided their conduct and training continue to be satisfactory.

Candidates should submit certificates of physical fitness for out-door life, age and of respectability and moral character from heads of colleges or individuals of position.

2. Selected candidates must appear in July next for the Entrance Examination of the Dehra Dun College which will be held in the office of the Conservator of Forests at Bangalore, on passing which they will be called upon to undergo a probationary practical forest training of three and a half months under the orders of the Conservator, before joining the Forest College in April 1908.

3. While under the practical training they will receive travelling allowance of Rs. 20 per mensem, and should they give satisfaction during the period, will be deputed to Dehra Dun and given :—

(I) A monthly stipend which will not be more than Rs. 40 per mensem during the course of 23½ months which they have to undergo at the College ;

(II) their actual travelling allowance to and from Dehra Dun.

4. The grant of this stipend will be held to constitute a lien on the candidates' services for a period of five years after leaving the College, and removal for misconduct within that time will be grounds for refund of the total stipend awarded, and for this, proper security will be demanded. On the other hand, Government will be under no obligation to employ the candidate after returning from the College, while it may discontinue the grant of stipend at any time during the College course without assigning any reason for so doing.

For further information regarding the rules, etc., of the College, applicants should address this office.

M. MUTHANNAH,
Conservator of Forests in Mysore.

Notification No. 139, dated 5th March 1907.

1. Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received at the office of the District Forest Officer, Kolar, up to 25th March 1907, for the purchase of casuarina firewood in the following plantations of the Malur Range.

2. Tenders should specify the rate per ton of firewood offered in each plantation.

3. Each tender must be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 10 in currency note as earnest money, in default of which it will be rejected. Covers containing the tenders should be addressed to the District Forest Officer, Kolar, and should be duly registered insured and superscribed "Tender for casuarina firewood."

4. Tenders will be opened by the District Forest Officer at the District Forest Office, Kolar, at 2 P.M. on the 26th March 1907, in the presence of such tenderers as will be present.

5. The District Forest Officer reserves to himself the power to accept or reject any or all tenders without assigning reasons therefor.

6. The earnest money of the successful tenderer will be retained and that of the rest will be returned forthwith in person or by money order at the tenderers' cost. The successful tenderer will, within a week of the acceptance of his tender, pay up seventy-five per cent of the price of firewood calculated at the accepted rate, whereupon he will be furnished by the District Forest Officer with a license to cut and stack the firewood.

7. The successful tenderer is requested to cut the whole quantity of firewood bought by him at his own cost and stack it in compartment lines into convenient lots for measurement before the 30th April 1907 and intimate the fact in writing to the Forest Range Officer.

8. The Range Officer will measure the wood so stacked and issue advice to the tenderer for the payment of the balance due by him. The successful tenderer must at once pay the full amount into the Treasury and then remove the firewood under way permits obtained from the District Forest Officer. From the time of measurement the watch and ward of the firewood will rest with the tenderer.

9. The successful tenderer will be required to cut and remove the whole quantity of firewood before 31st May 1907, in default he will forfeit his claim to all the wood remaining after the above date whether cut or uncut :—

No.	Name of plantation	Approximate quantity of firewood in tons	Remarks
1	Kadamutsandra	4	1. Sixty-eight square feet is estimated to be one ton.
2	Hosakurandahalli	20	
3	Ramachandrapura	2	
4	Bellavi	5	
5	Mallappanahalli	15	2. Possibly larger quantities than herein mentioned are available.
6	Lakshmisagara	30	
7	Yesawanthapura	5	
8	Byappanahalli	10	
	Vakkaleri	70	
10	Malur	80	Sime tangadi wood.
	Total ...	241	

S. A. BAPU RAO, *Dist. Forest Officer, Kolar Dt.*

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Descriptive roll of a man found dead on 12th January 1907 and whose body was unclaimed :—

Place where found—Found hanging to a tree near the 3rd furlong of the 145th mile, on the Bangalore-Mangalore road within the limits of the Kasagonahalli village, Manjarabad Taluk.
Name—Not known.
Caste—Not known, looks like a below-ghat Holaya.
Age—About 45.
Complexion—Dark.
Height—5 feet 4 inches.

Marks of identification and property found on the body—Oval face; medium size; well built; curly hair; had beard and mustache; one black check coat; one black and white check waist coat, a knife with an iron handle in one of the pockets, a white money bag (ಹಂಪುಂಡಿಚೀಲ) a small red bag, a brass ear-ring and a copper ring in the watch pocket. He wore a langoti and a white cloth round the waist. Had ear-rings in both ears.

S. NARAYAN RAO,
Assistant Supt. of Police, Hassan Dt.